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Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

and

Inventory of Polls and Ratable Property

of

NELSON

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the Year Ending December 31, 1957

and

School District Officers

for the Year Ending June 30, 1957



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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

FRANCIS R. DONOVAN	Term Expires 1958
KENNETH T. COREY	Term Expires 1960
RODGER M. TOLMAN	Term Expires 1958

Moderator

FRANCIS TOLMAN

Town Clerk

PRISCILLA WALTER

Tax Collector

FRANK E. UPTON, SR.

Treasurer

FLORENCE TOLMAN

Road Agent

EDWARD SAVAGE

Constable

FRANK E. UPTON, JR.

Health and Police Officer

LEWIS TOMPKINS

Fire Chief

JOSEPH DOBSON

Civil Defense Director

KENNETH BALCH

Trustees of the Trust Funds

HELEN TOWNE	Term Expires 1958
DOROTHY FRENCH	Term Expires 1959
FRANCES TOLMAN	Term Expires 1960

Sexton

WINSTON FRENCH

Trustees of the Library

ALICE SHARPLES	JANET TOLMAN
ELIZABETH BERGH	

Auditor

SIDNEY PARTRIDGE

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 12, 1957

The meeting was called to order by the moderator, Mr. Francis Tolman, at 9:30 a. m. The Town Warrant was read and Article 1 was open for consideration.

The following town officers were elected and duly sworn into office by the Moderator and Town Clerk:

Town Clerk—Mrs. John Walter.

Selectman for 3 years—Mr. Kenneth Corey.

Treasurer—Mrs. Florence Tolman.

Tax Collector—Mr. Frank E. Upton, Sr.

Road Agent—Mr. Edward Savage.

Constable—Mr. Frank E. Upton, Jr.

Police Officer—Mr. Lewis Tompkins.

Fire Chief—Mr. Joseph Dobson.

Civil Defense Director—Mr. Charles Leonard.

Trustee of Trust Funds for 3 years—Mrs. Frances Tolman.

Sexton and Custodian—Mr. Winston French.

Library Trustee—Miss Alice Sharples.

Auditor—Mr. Sidney Partridge.

Article 2 was then read and the town voted to raise the sum of \$7,885.00 to defray town charges as explained by the Selectmen.

Article 3—To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to repair highways and bridges. It was voted to raise the sum of \$7,500.00, \$4,500.00 for summer maintenance and \$3,000.00 for winter maintenance.

Article 4—To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$384.40 to construct and reconstruct Class V roads was accepted as read.

Article 5—The Town voted to raise the sum of \$300.00 to purchase metal culverts.

Article 6—The Town voted to raise the amount of \$300.00 to purchase calcium chloride.

Article 7—The Town accepted the article as read, giving the selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 8—The Town voted to raise the sum of \$100.00 for the support of Old Home Day, and \$50.00 to buy flowers and flags for Memorial Day.

Article 9—After much discussion in favor of the article by Mr. Walter, Mr. Barker and Mr. French, it was voted to raise the sum of \$89.00 for the support of the Monadnock Region Association.

Article 10—By a vote of yeas and nays the sum of \$135.00 was raised for the support of the Elliot Community Hospital.

Article 11—The Town voted the amount of \$150.00 for the support of the Nelson Village Cemetery.

Article 12—The article on Civil Defense was passed over by the Town due to the fact that there is already a sum of \$50.00 unexpended balance in the account.

Article 13—This article was passed over as the Library had funds enough at this time.

Article 14—The sum of \$200.00 was raised for Pine Blister Rust control.

Article 15—No money was raised for waterholes this year, and a third man was voted to the committee, Mr. Joseph Dobson.

Article 16—To see if the Town will authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to sell at public auction any and all parcels of property conveyed to the town by tax collector's deeds and to execute, acknowledge and deliver quitclaim deeds thereof, or take any action thereon was accepted as read.

Article 17—The Town voted to raise the amount of \$150.00 for a survey of the new addition to the Nelson Village Cemetery, including maps thereof.

Article 18—Road Grader Repair—\$3,000.00 total raised; \$1,000.00 to offset amount spent last year, and \$2,000.00 for new repair. It was also voted under this article that the Select-

men be empowered to dispose of any piece of equipment that was worthless.

Article 19—It was voted to pass over this article and take up Article 20 at this time.

Article 20—The wording of this article was discussed at length with Mr. Dobson, Mr. Forssen, Mr. Huber and Mr. Neil Tolman. The vote was called and it was requested that a written two-third ballot be taken. There was a total of 63 votes cast and 42 necessary for choice. There were 24 no votes and 39 yes votes; the vote was against the article and it was duly thrown down by the moderator.

Following this, a motion was made by Mr. Huber as follows: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a building for housing the town fire truck and equipment, and to purchase and install two way radio equipment on the fire truck. This motion was seconded and voted upon and accepted by a simple majority. 54 votes were cast, of which there were 17 no and 37 yes.

Article 19 was then taken up: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for the maintenance of the Fire Department, or take any action thereon. This article was discussed at length and the following motion to amend the article as follows was accepted: "To raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,300.00 for the maintenance of the Fire Department, such sum to be raised and expended in the event that the vote under Article 20 be declared illegal. If Article 20 is ruled to be a legal vote by proper authority and properly taken by voters assembled, said amount of \$3,300.00 will then become the sum of \$800.00 or such lesser sum as may be required to maintain the Fire Department in the event of no Fire House being built during the ensuing year.

Article 21 was voted to be passed over after much discussion.

Article 22—To see if the Town will elect three members to serve with the Road Agent and the Chairman of Selectmen on a road Survey of the Town roads. Mr. Edward Murdough, Mr. Rodger Tolman and Mr. Kenneth Corey were elected to serve on the committee for one year with Mr. Francis Donovan,

Chairman of Board of Selectmen, and Mr. Edward Savage Road Agent, and to report at the next annual Town Meeting.

Article 23 was passed over after much discussion and deliberating.

Article 24 was passed over as read.

Article 25—To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting. An ordinance pertaining to trailers and portable homes was voted and accepted as follows: To see if the town will vote to prohibit trailers and portable homes was voted and accepted as follows: To see if the Town will vote to prohibit trailers and portable homes from entering the Town of Nelson and taking up residence as such, and to empower the Selectmen to enforce said ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. PRISCILLA T. WALTER,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

In order to properly fulfill its duties, your Board found it desirable to meet regularly on Tuesday evenings at the Library. It is expected that this practice will continue.

Appreciation is expressed to the Board of Trustees of the Library and especially to Mrs. Albert Quigley for making the use of this building possible.

Mr. John Walter resigned as Selectman because of ill health as of April 4, 1957, and Mr. Rodger M. Tolman was appointed to serve until the next annual Town Meeting.

Through the efforts of the Director of Civil Defense, the town was fortunate in acquiring at nominal cost a well equipped fire truck which may be used at all times for fire protection purposes. Mr. Charles Leonard resigned as Director in November and Mr. Kenneth Balch was appointed to serve the remainder of the term.

A new Fire Station was erected in Munsonville on land donated to the town by Mr. John W. Johnson. Although it was impossible to provide heat, wiring, or a concrete floor with the funds available, the generous contributions of time, money and material by many of the people of Munsonville have added substantially to the value of the building.

The soldiers monument in the cemetery was found to be extensively damaged by frost, the fieldstone facing having become separated from the central core. Inasmuch as sections of this facing were falling off from time to time it constituted a very hazardous situation, and it was deemed necessary to proceed with repairs at once.

A hearing was held in April, 1957 to consider a petition to establish a public right of way to Granite Lake. As most of the proponents were residents of the Town of Stoddard, the location of the way in this Town was opposed on the grounds that it would constitute a public nuisance and would cost the town a considerable amount for policing.

The Cletrack power shovel was found to be in such poor

condition that it was inadvisable to repair it, and it was therefore sold to the highest bidder.

Duplication in fire insurance policies has been eliminated. Four policies covering the library and books have been combined in one, and premiums will be paid by the Library Trustees.

Fire insurance policies covering the Town Barn and Town Hall have been combined and premiums will be paid on a budget plan. This makes regular annual payments possible while retaining the advantage of the lower rates of a three year policy.

Your board takes this opportunity to express its appreciation for the wholehearted cooperation of all town officers and for the valuable assistance rendered by many of the other townspeople.

Selectmen of Nelson,

RODGER M. TOLMAN,

KENNETH T. COREY,

FRANCIS R. DONOVAN,

Chairman.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Nelson in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Nelson on Tuesday, the 11th day of March next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$8135 to defray town charges for the ensuing year.
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$468.28 as its share of T.R.A. construction, the state's share being \$3121.88.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$8500 for the repair of highways and bridges, \$4750 of which will be for summer maintenance and \$3750 for winter maintenance.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$300 to purchase Metal Culverts.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$600 to purchase Calcium Chloride.
7. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen the right to borrow money on the credit of the Town in anticipation of taxes.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$100 for Old Home Day, and \$50.00 for Memorial Day.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$92 for the support of the Monadnock Region Association.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$120 for the support of the Elliot Community Hospital.
11. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$400 for the maintenance and improvement of the Cemetery.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$250 for Civil Defense purposes.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$150 for the construction and maintenance of fire trails and water holes.

14. To see if the Town will authorize and instruct the board of Selectmen to sell at public auction to any proper buyer any and all parcels of property conveyed to the town by tax collector's deeds, and to execute, acknowledge and deliver appropriate deeds thereof.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for the purpose of (a) purchasing road maintenance equipment, and/or (b) purchasing spare parts and making necessary repairs; and in the event that the sum realized under this article should exceed the amount of \$2000, then in order to provide such excess funds,—to authorize the Board of Selectmen to issue and sell bonds or negotiate notes in the name of and on the credit of the Town under Chapter 33, Revised Statutes Annotated, of New Hampshire, and any amendments relating thereto; and delegate to the Board of Selectmen authority to fix the time and place of payment of the principal and interest of said bonds or notes, the interest thereon, and the principal amount of each bond or note.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$800 for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1300 for the purpose of completing the Fire House project.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$500 to add to the Reserve Fund, it being understood that no withdrawal either from the principal or accumulated interest may be made except for a specific purpose by a vote of the Town.

19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee of five members for the purpose of studying the question of zoning and such appropriate regulations as may be applicable to the town; said committee to submit a written report of its studies and recommendations to the Selectmen on or before January 15, 1959.

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for the repair and renovation of the interior of the Town Hall and its contents.

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money for the repair of the apron at the entrance of the barn owned by Mrs. Charles Leonard.

22. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 11th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-eight.

FRANCIS R. DONOVAN,
KENNETH T. COREY,
RODGER M. TOLMAN,
Selectmen of Nelson.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANCIS R. DONOVAN,
KENNETH T. COREY,
RODGER M. TOLMAN,
Selectmen of Nelson.

BUDGET

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR
THE ENSUING YEAR JAN. 1, 1958 TO DEC. 31, 1958
COMPARED WITH
ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, APPROPRIATIONS
AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS
YEAR JAN. 1, 1957 TO DEC. 31, 1957

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1957	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1957	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1958
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$2,000 00	\$2,488 00	\$2,000 00
Savings Bank Tax	50 00	49 51	50 00
Refund—Pine Blister Rust Control		95	
Class V Maintenance		69 52	70 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	150 00	145 80	140 00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	50 00	64 00	50 00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits		269 30	
Income of Depts.:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment		42 75	
(b) Sewers—Balance of Acct. Previous Rd. Agt.		43 90	
Gift to Cemetery Funds		10 00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,300 00	1,519 83	1,400 00
Sale of Town Property		340 00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—regular @ \$2.00	130 00	200 00	150 00

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1957	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1957	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1958
(c) Yield Taxes (Includes \$75 Deposit)		450 54	200 00
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Total Revenues from all sources			
except property taxes	\$3,680 00	\$5,721 10	\$4,060 00
Amt. to be raised by prop. taxes			42,638 00
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Total revenues			\$46,698 00

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1957	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1957	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1958
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town officers' salaries	\$1,235 00	\$1,235 00	\$1,235 00
Town officers' expenses	945 00	875 44	1,050 00
Election and registration expenses	50 00	25 00	300 00
Expenses town hall and other			
town buildings	550 00	246 37	250 00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police department	60 00	68 68	100 00
Fire department	800 00	624 52	800 00
Moth exterm.—Blister Rust			
and care of trees	200 00	200 00	
Insurance	400 00	642 06	500 00
Civil defense	†50 00	138 82	250 00
Health:			
Health department, including			
hospitals	135 00	135 00	150 00
Vital statistics	5 00	5 00	5 00
Town dump	†85 20	85 20	50 00
Town dump and garbage			
removal	75 00	16 30	150 00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town maintenance—summer	4,500 00	4,713 06	4,750 00
Town maintenance—winter	3,000 00	3,848 24	3,250 00

	Appropriations Previous Year 1957	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1957	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1958
Cal. chloride—Culverts—Grader			
repairs	3,600 00	2,723 77	2,600 00
General expenses of highway			
department	597 50	570 13	600 00
Town road aid	384 40	384 40	468 28
Public Welfare:			
Old age assistance	18 28	18 28	25 00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans'			
associations	50 00	47 80	50 00
Recreation:			
Parks and playground,			
incl. band concerts	100 00	100 00	100 00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	300 00	625 50	400 00
Unclassified:			
Damages and legal expenses	25 00	20 14	25 00
Advertising and regional			
associations	89 00	89 00	90 00
Interest:			
On temporary loans	350 00	527 91	475 00
On long term notes			
and bonds	50 00	50 00	25 00
Outlay for New Construction			
and Perm. Improv.			
Highways and Bridges:			
Town construction	†850 00	787 05	
Bridge repairs			200 00
Fire station	2,500 00	2,803 98	1,300 00
Spreader	22 50	22 50	
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
(b) Long term notes	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00
County Taxes	2,501 32	2,501 32	2,500 00
School taxes	†10,217 79	10,217 79	
	23,001 00	11,000 00	24,000 00
Total expenditures	\$57,747 39	\$46,348 26	\$46,698 00

† Unexpended balances from appropriations of previous years.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and buildings	\$859,450 00
Electric plants	70,500 00
Stock in trade	1,400 00
Horses, asses and mules—10	925 00
Cows—27	2,375 00
Sheep and goats—43	590 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks—4	600 00
Portable mills, road building and repairing machinery	5,700 00
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Total gross valuation before exemptions allowed	\$941,540 00
Less veterans' exemptions	17,000 00
Net valuation on which tax rate is computed	\$924,540 00

MISCELLANEOUS

Public Service Co. of N. H. Electric Plant	\$70,500 00
Dobson's Store stock in trade	1,400 00
Property valuation exempted to veterans	17,000 00
No. of veterans receiving property exemptions	17
No. of veterans exempt from poll tax	23
No. of inventories distributed	249
No. of inventories returned	127

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE
TAX YEAR 1957**

Total Town and School Appropriations	\$46,544 40
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits	4,118 00
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	\$42,426 40
Plus overelay	293 24
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Net amount to be raised by taxation	\$42,719 64
Less: 100 Poll Taxes @ \$2.00	200 00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes	\$42,519 64
Taxes to be committed to Collector	\$42,519 64
Poll taxes	200 00
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Total taxes to be committed	\$42,719 64
Tax rate per hundred dollars valuation	\$4.60

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
EXPENDITURES FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1957**

	Liabilities Carried from 1956	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimburse- ments	Tot. Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town officers' salaries		\$1,235 00		\$1,235 00	\$1,235 00		
Town officers' expenses		945 40		945 40	875 44	\$69 96	
Election and registration		50 00		50 00	25 00	25 00	
Expenses town hall & other bldgs.		550 00	\$64 00	614 00	246 37	367 63	
Police department		60 00		60 00	68 68		\$8 68
Fire department		800 00		800 00	624 52	175 48	
Pine blister rust		200 00	95	200 95	200 00	95	
Insurance		400 00	12 77	412 77	642 06		229 29
Civil Defense	\$50 00						88 82
Health		135 00		135 00	135 00		
Vital Statistics		5 00		5 00	5 00		
Town dump	85 20			85 20	85 20		
"		75 00		75 00	16 30	58 70	
Town maintenance—summer		4,500 00		4,500 00	4,713 06		213 06
" winter		3,000 00		3,000 00	3,848 24		848 24
Cal. chloride, culverts, grader repairs		3,600 00	40 00	3,640 00	2,723 77	916 23	
General expenses—Highway dept.		597 50	156 17	753 67	570 13	183 54	
Town road aid		384 40		384 40	384 40		
Old age assistance		18 28		18 28	18 28		
Memorial Day		50 00		50 00	47 80	2 20	
Old Home Day		100 00		100 00	100 00		
Cemeteries		300 00	10 00	310 00	625 50		315 50
Damages & legal expenses		25 00		25 00	20 14	4 86	

BALANCE**ASSETS**

Cash	\$6,094 42
Capital Reserve Funds:	
(For the acquisition of equipment and new construction)	667 43
Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)	
Levy of 1956	285 11
Levy of 1955	67 58
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1957	6,408 15
Levy of 1956	84 17
Levy of 1955	68 17
Previous Years	4 00
State Head Taxees—Levy of 1957	150 00
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	25 00
Total Assets	<hr/> \$13,854 03
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	385 03
Grand Total	<hr/> \$14,239 06
Net Debt—December 31, 1956	2,499 17
Net Debt—December 31, 1957	385 03
Decrease of Debt	2,114 14

SHEET**LIABILITIES**

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Bills outstanding	\$5.16
Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations:	
Upton Hill Road	62 95
Fire Department Maintenance	175 48
Calcium chloride \$9 82—Culverts \$51 13	60 95
Due to State:	
State Head Taxes—1957	
Uncollected \$150 00—(collected- not remitted to State Treas. \$59 00)	209 00
Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement	
Uncollected \$8 71) (Collected not remitted to State Treas. \$48 38)	57 09
Due to School Districts: Bal. of appropriation	12,001 00
Capital Reserve Funds: (Offsets similar Asset Account)	
	667 43
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Note No. 7 (Final) Purchase of Grader	1,000 00
Total Liabilities	<hr/> \$14,239 06
Grand Total	<hr/> \$14,239 06

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
1. Town Hall, Land and Buildings	\$7,500 00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000 00
2. Libraries, Land and Buildings	5,000 00
Furniture and Equipment	1,500 00
4. Fire Department, Land and Buildings	3,500 00
Equipment	8,500 00
5. Highway Department, Land and Buildings	2,000 00
Equipment	8,000 00
9. Schools, Lands and Buildings	28,000 00
Equipment	2,000 00
11. All Lands and Buildings acquired	
Tax Collector's Deeds	
Gauthier Property—45A	100 00
Total	\$67,000 00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

YEAR 1957

DEBITS

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:	
For 1956	\$9 64
For 1957	1,507 03
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	\$1,516 67
Over remittance to treasurer	
(Due Town Clerk)	3 16
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	\$1,519.83
Dog Licenses Issued:	
Remainder of 1956 (previously reported)	\$31 80
1957—	\$123 00
Less: Fees Retailed	9.00 114.00
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	145 80
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	\$1,665 63

CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Motor Vehicle Permits	\$1,519 83
Dog Licenses:	
Remainder of 1956 (not previously remitted)	\$31 80
1957—	114 00
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	145 80
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	\$1,665 63

Respectfully submitted,
 PRISCILLA T. WALTER,
 Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES LEVY OF 1957

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Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$42,535 00
Poll taxes	196 00
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Total warrant	\$42,731 00
Yield taxes	342 56
Added Taxes:	
Property taxes	9 20
Interest collected	2 18
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Total debits	\$43,084 94

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$36,432 73
Poll taxes	136 00
Yield taxes	99 88
Interest collected	2 18
Abatements	6 00
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:	
Property taxes	6,111 47
Poll taxes	54 00
Yield taxes	242 68
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Total credits	\$43,084 94

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS; PROP., POLL, YIELD TAXES—FOR LEVIES PRIOR TO 1957

DEBITS			
Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1, 1957:	Total	1956	1955
Property taxes	\$7,868 67	\$7,714 29	\$154 38
Poll taxes	78 00	72 00	2 00
Yield taxes	444 34	270 32	151 39
Total uncollected	\$8,391 01	\$8,056 61	\$307 77
Interest collected during year 1957	294 12	277 37	16 75
Total debits	\$8,685 13	\$8,333 98	\$324 52
CREDITS			
Remittances to Treasurer during year 1957:			
Property taxes	\$7,845 66	\$7,693 32	\$152 34
Poll taxes	64 00	62 00	2 00
Yield taxes	275 66	190 40	85 26
Interest collected	294 12	277 37	16 75
Abatements	49 35	26 72	
Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, 1957 as per collector's list:			
Property taxes	4 29	2 25	2 04
Poll taxes	6 00	2 00	
Yield taxes	146 05	79 92	66 13
Total credits	\$8,685 13	\$8,333 98	\$324 52
		\$4 00	\$22 63

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1957

DR.

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	1956	1955	1954
(a) Taxes sold to town during current fiscal year	\$887 36		
(b) Balance of unredeemed taxes— taxes—January 1, 1957		\$288 04	\$16 49
Interest collected after sale	5 42	5 43	2 70
Total debits	\$892 78	\$293 47	\$19 19

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Remittances to treasurer during year	\$607 67	\$225 89	\$19 19
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	285 11	67 58	
Total credits	\$892 78	\$293 47	\$19 19

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES
ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1956	1955
Forest Carey	\$46 33	
Charles Fiderio	13 72	
William McIntire	91 73	
Orville Poland	58 65	\$46 64
Edgar Poland		20 94
Susie Stevens Est.	74 68	
	\$285 11	\$67 58

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
LEVY OF 1957

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector:		
Original warrant	\$630 00	
Total commitment		\$630 00
Penalties collected		1 00
Total debits		\$631 00

CR.

Remittances to treasurer:

Head taxes	\$475 00
Penalties	1 00

 \$476 00

Abatements	5 00
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Uncollected head taxes as per collector's list	150 00
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Total credits	\$631 00
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 STATE HEAD TAX
 LEVY OF 1956

DR.

Uncollected taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1957	\$195 00
Added taxes during 1957	10 00
Penalties collected during 1957	17 00

Total debits	\$222 00
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CR.

Remittances to treasurer
during 1957:

Head taxes	\$175 00
Penalties	17 00

 \$192 00

Abatements during 1957	25 00
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Uncollected head taxes as per collector's list	5 00
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Total credits	\$222 00
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 STATE HEAD TAX
 LEVY OF 1955

DR.

Uncollected taxes as of January 1, 1957	\$10 00
Penalty collected during 1957	50

Total debits	\$10 50
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CR.

Remittances to treasurer during 1957:

Head taxes	\$5 00
Penalty	50
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	5 00

Total credits		\$10 50
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LEVY OF 1954

DR.

Uncollected head taxes:

As per collector's list	\$15 00
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UNCOLLECTED TAXES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1957

TAX LEVY 1957

Resident:	Property	Poll	Head	Yield
Breed, Edna	\$92 00			
Felix, Mildred	179 40			
Forssen, Gale	671 60			
Frazier, Edith	46 00	\$2 00	\$5 00	
Frazier, William		2 00	5 00	
Frazier, Leonard		2 00	5 00	
Frazier, Marion		2 00	5 00	
Howarth, George	105 80	2 00		
Howarth, Mary		2 00		
Hulslander, Robert	52 90		5 00	
Hulslander, Barbara		2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Walter	123 88	2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Agnes		2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Victor	27 60	2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Beverly		2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Claude		2 00	5 00	
Hutchins, Clyde	18 40		5 00	
Hutchins, Brenda		2 00	5 00	
Jordan, Leroy	92 00	2 00	5 00	
Jordan, Mary		2 00	5 00	
Jordan, Marion F.		2 00	5 00	
McIntire, William	69 00	2 00	5 00	
McIntyre, Ethel		2 00	5 00	
Murdough, Theodore	103 03	2 00	5 00	
Pierce, Bernie	184 00	2 00	5 00	\$58 67

Resident:	Property	Poll	Head	Yield
Pierce, Janice		2 00	5 00	
Poland, Forest	36 80	2 00	5 00	
Poland, Myrtle		2 00	5 00	
Poland, John C.	115 00	2 00	5 00	
Poland, Rose		2 00	5 00	
Poland, Edgar		2 00	5 00	
Quigley, Albert			5 00	
Quigley, Mildred		2 00	5 00	
Stevens, Susie Est.	69 00			
Struthers, Park H.	257 60		5 00	
Tolman, Renn			5 00	
Tomkins, Irene	26 00			
Wilcox, Hollis	169 28			

Resident totals	\$2,439 29	\$54 00	\$150 00	\$58 67
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Non-Resident:

Bailey, Geo. S. Est.	32 20			
Bailey, Minnie	64 40			
Bowles, Alton & Helen	14 72			
Brown, Hugh	2 30			
Calhoun, J. C.				\$163 85
Carey, Forest L.	41 40			
Caruso, Arthur	69 00			
Conrad, Philip	2 30			
Dutton, W. D.	55 20			
Fiderio, Charles	9 66			
Granite Lake Camp	1,890 60			
Williams, W. E.	289 80			
Maniscalco, James	55 20			
Mentor, H. J.	24 15			
Page, Ralph	14 95			
Poland, Orville	46 00			
Quigley, Terrance	2 30			
Richardson, Bernard	101 20			
Richardson, Lester	13 80			
Richardson, Harry	13 80			
Robinson, Wendy	667 00			
Rowell, Clark A.	80 50			

Resident:	Property	Poll	Head	Yield
Stewart, Mrs. Lorraine	23 00			
Metcalf, Doris	16 10			
Tarr, Ruth	50 60			
Tolman, Cora Est.	92 00			
Charon, Maynard				20 16
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Non-resident totals	\$3,672 18			\$184 01
Resident totals	2,439 29	\$54 00	\$150 00	58 67
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Total uncollected—				
Levy of 1957	\$6,111 47	\$54 00	\$150 00	\$242 68
	TAX LEVY OF 1956			
Brown, Oscar	\$2 25			
Jordan, Marion F.		\$2 00	\$5 00	
Ballou, John				\$8 40
Trepanier, Albert				71 52
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Totals	\$2 25	\$2 00	\$5 00	\$79 92
	TAX LEVY OF 1955			
Brown, Oscar	\$2 04			
Pierce, Bernie				\$7 50
Poland, Florence			\$5 00	
Sevesque, Roland				58 63
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Totals	\$2 04		\$5 00	\$66 13
	TAX LEVY OF 1954			
Holcomb, Doris		\$2 00	\$5 00	
Kent, Paul			5 00	
Morey, Stephen		2 00	5 00	
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Totals		\$4 00	\$15 00	

I hereby certify that the above list showing the names and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer as of December 31, 1957 on account of tax levies of 1957 and previous years is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRANK E. UPTON,
Tax Collector.

RESIDENT INVENTORY AND TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1957

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Adams, Earl M.			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll Exempt; Head		\$5.00	Corey, Jeanette L.		
Murphy place \$2300			Poll & Head		7.00
Exempt 1000 \$1300		59.80	Coutu, Lewis A.		
Adams, Alice M.			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Coutu, Esther		
Balch, Kenneth B.			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	2a Home place	6800	312.80
19a Scott			Curtis, George		
place 6900			Poll & Head exempt		
Horse 100	7000	322.00	Curtis, Mabel		
Balch, Vera			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	93a Home place	1300	59.80
Ball, Frank			Curtis, Robert		
Poll Exempt; Head		5.00	Poll & Head		7.00
10a Land &			2 horses	250	11.50
buildings 4370			Dobson, Joseph G.		
Exempt 1000	3370	155.02	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Ball, Doris			Land &		
Poll & Head		7.00	Buildings 12400		
Barker, Sheldon			Stock in trade 1400	13800	634.80
Poll & Head		7.00	Dobson, Maxine		
Barker, Florence			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Donovan, Francis R.		
Barrett, Earl			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Poll & Head		7.00	½a Mill house 5200		
46a Home			Exempt 1000	4200	193.20
place 1100		50.60	Ellicott, Eleanor		
Barrett, Fanny			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Felix, Mildred		
Barrett, Wilmer			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	½a Land &		
Bergh, Norman M. L.			buildings 3900	179.40	
Poll & Head		7.00	Fisher, Ernestine		
Garage & lot 960			Poll & Head exempt		
Bergh, Elizabeth			4a Home place	5100	234.60
Poll & Head		7.00	Fisher, Herman		
3a Home place			Poll & Head		7.00
& R. of W.			Floyd, Rolfe Jr.		
Tolman Pond 6040			Poll & Head		7.00
Bergh, Norman &			Floyd, Francis M.		
Elizabeth			Poll & Head		7.00
1a Island 1500	8500	391.00	Forssen, Gale		
Breed, Edna			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Land & buildings 14600	671.60	
1a Home place 2000		92.00	Forssen, Lois		
Bridge, Jessie			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head exempt			Frazier, Edith		
Homestead 200		9.20	Poll & Head		7.00
Cady, Florence			3a Home place 1000		46.00
Poll & Head exempt			Frazier, W. H.		
23a land &			Poll & Head		7.00
buildings 4229		194.53	Frazier, Leonard		
Corey, Kenneth T.			Poll & Head		7.00

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
2a Guillow			Hutchins, Brenda		
Place 2300			Poll & Head		7.00
5a Home place			Hutchins, Claude		
Rt. 9 500	2800	128.80	Poll & Head		7.00
Frazier, Marion			Iselin, Arthur J.		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
French, Winston			40a Home		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	place 7000		
60a Land &			Silver Lake		
Bldgs. 5200			property 500	7500	345.00
Cows & goats 160			Iselin, Cornelia		
Exemption 1000	4360	200.56	Poll & Head		7.00
French, Dorothy			Johnson, John W.		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head		7.00
Guillow, Maurice			Land & Bldgs.	5750	264.50
Poll & Head		7.00	Jordan, Leroy W.		
1a Land & Bldg.	3000	138.00	Poll & Head		7.00
Guillow, Hazel			6a Home place	2000	92.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Jordan, E. Mary		
Guillow, Willie Est.			Poll & Head		7.00
73a Land 291	13.39		Jordan, Marion F.		
Hardy, Myra			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head Exempt			King, Harold		
Howarth, George			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	100a Jewett		
1a Gibson Place 2300	105.80		farm 7000		
Howarth, Mary			Sheep 180	7180	330.28
Poll & Head		7.00	King, Myra		
Huber, Raymond			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Leonard, Charles		
1a Land &			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Bldgs. 2600			1a Brooks Place and		
Exemption 1000	1600	73.60	lot on Granite		
Huber, Mildred			Lake 4100		
Poll & Head		7.00	Exemption 1000	3100	142.60
Hulslander, Robert J.			Leonard, Dorothy		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Poll & Head		7.00
16a Part of Brown			McIntire, W. W.		
place 2150			Poll & Head		7.00
Exemption 1000	1150	52.90	Cottages, Granite		
Hulslander, Barbara			Lake 1500	69.00	
Poll & Head		7.00	McIntire, Ethel		
Hutchins, Walter			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Miller, Clarence		
3a Home place 2393			Poll & Head		7.00
3 horses 300	2693	123.88	Munson Place	3000	138.00
Hutchins, Agnes			Miller, Phyllis		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head		7.00
Hutchins, Victor			Miner, Arnold		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Camp 600	27.60		½a Land &		
Hutchins, Beverly			Bldgs. 2500		
Poll & Head		7.00	Exemption 1000	1500	69.00
Hutchins, Clyde			Miner, Norma		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Poll & Head		7.00
Camp & house 1400			Munroe, Florence		
Exemption 1000	400	18.40	Poll & Head exempt		

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
½a Loveland place	2000	92.00	Quigley, Albert		
Morrison, Isabel			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Poll & Head		7.00	¼a Land & Bldgs.	1000	
1a Osgood place	4500	207.00	Exemption	1000	
Murdough, Edward			Quigley, Mildred		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head		7.00
2a Home place	2800		Robinson, Robert		
Road			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Machinery	4000	6800 312.80	Robinson, Hallie		
Murdough, Ruby			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Rowe, Thomas		
Murdough, Theodore			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Poll & Head		7.00	150a Land & Bldgs.	5050	232.30
100a Home place	2000		Savage, Edw. R.		
Sheep	240	2240 103.03	Poll & Head exempt		
Norling, George			Savage, Florence		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head exempt		
Norling, Florence			Sawyer, Norman		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Page, Laura			½a Messenger place	2100	
Poll & Head exempt			Exemption	1000	1100 50.60
100a Home place	3000	138.00	Sawyer, Eva		
Page, Margurite			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Sharples, William		
Partridge, Sidney F.			Poll & Head exempt		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	4a Land & Bldgs.	3100	142.60
4a Land and Bldgs.	2800		Sharples, Alice		
Exemption	1000	1800 82.80	Poll & Head exempt		
Partridge, Claire			Skillin, Mrs. S. De W.		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head exmept		
1a Land	200	9.20	3a Land & Bldgs.	4600	211.60
Pearl, Everett, Est.			Skinner, Joseph		
14a Dunn Lot	250	11.50	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Pierce, Bernie H.			175a Land & Bldgs.	5425	249.55
Poll & Head		7.00	Skinner, Sarah		
200a Conrad Farm	4000	184.00	Poll & Head		7.00
Pierce, Janice W.			Staples, George		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt Head		5.00
Poland, Forrest			½a Story Place	3000	
Poll & Head		7.00	Exemption	1000	2000 92.00
Bldgs. & junk	800	36.80	Staples, Ruth		
Poland, Myrtle			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Stevens, Susie Est.		
Poland, J. C.			90a Land & Bldgs.	1500	69.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Struthers, A. E. Est.		
1/3 a Land & Bldgs.	2500	115.00	15a Land & Bldgs.	2000	92.00
Poland, Rose			Struthers, Parke H.		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Poland, Edgar					
Poll & Head		7.00			

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
225a Land & Bldgs.			Tolman, Frances B.		
Cabot Place 5100			Poll & Head		7.00
Scripture Place 500	5600	257.60	Tompkins, Lewis		
Tolman, Cora Alice			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head exempt			½a Land & Bldgs.	750	34.50
½a Fletcher lot	50	2.30	Tompkins, Harold		
Tolman, Francis			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Land & Camp 900		
4a Home place & Stable, House	3800	174.80	Land & house 2000		
Tolman, Florence			Exemption 1000	1900	87.40
Poll & Head		7.00	Tompkins, Ethelyn		
Tolman, Neil			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Tompkins, Irene		
¼a Bryant			Poll & Head		7.00
place 5900			Land & Bldgs.	1500	69.00
Holbrook place 5500	11400	524.40	Towne, Helen		
Tolman, Newton			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Upton, Frank Sr.		
794a Land & Bldgs. Nuban- usit L. 13700			Poll & Head exempt		
1a Land & Bldgs. Tolman			10a Hale Place & Camps 4100		
Pond 3400	17100	786.60	80a Home place & Camps 4500		
Tolman, Janet			25a Stevens lot 90		
Poll & Head		7.00	120a Hat lot 410		
Tolman, Wayland			105a Jennings & Buffum lot 370		
P. Est.			5a Bryant lot 15	9485	436.31
50a Home place land & cottages 20100	924.60		Upton, Frank Jr.		
Tolman, Sarah			Poll & Head		7.00
Poll & Head exempt			1a Sprout land 10		
Tolman, Barry			Sawmill 1700	1710	78.66
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Upton, Ada		
Tolman, Renn			Poll & Head exempt		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	25a Ruffle		
Tolman, Rodger M.			Pasture 175		
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	267a Home place 2800	2975	136.85
30a Land & Bldgs. Harris- ville Road 2100			Upton, Horace		
146a Home place Land & Bldgs. 14288			Poll & Head exempt		
3a ½ Int.			Walter, John		
Brickyard Lot			Poll exempt; Head		5.00
10a ½ Int. Tenney lot			90a Barker place 3700		
20a ½ Int. Simmons Place			Cows 150		
1/3 Int. Frank Yardley Lot			Exemption 1000	2850	131.10
1/3 Int. Nubanusit Landing			Walter, Priscilla		
1/3 Int. Tolman			Poll & Head		7.00
Pond Landing 465	16853	775.24	Warner, Don J.		
			Poll & Head		7.00
			133a Holt Farm & White lot 400		
			Horses & Mules 375		
			Cows 2000	2775	127.65
			Warner, Don Sr.		
			Poll & Head		7.00

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
20a Jewett lot	140	644	Poll & Head		7.00
Warner, Grace			374a Land & Bldgs.	5976	274.90
Poll & Head		7.00	White, Barbara		
4a Creamer Place	400		Poll & Head		7.00
80a Home place & Barn	2200	2600	Wilcox, Hollis		
Warner, Doris			Poll & Head exempt		
Poll & Head		7.00	Land, Bldgs. & R. of W.	3680	169.28
Warner, George N.			Wilcox, Neva		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll & Head exempt		
Warner, John E.			Wilder, Alden		
Poll & Head		7.00	Poll exempt; Head		5.00
Watt, Nigel J.			2a Cottage-Granite Lake	3900	
Poll exempt; Head		5.00	Exemption	1000	2900
25a Home place	2750		Wilder, Betty		133.40
Cows	75		Poll & Head		7.00
Sheep	160		Wolhok, James		
Exemption	1000	1985	Poll & Head		7.00
Watt, Mary			1a May Place	2500	115.00
Poll & Head		7.00	Wolhok, Geraldine		
White, Barry			Poll & Head		7.00

NON-RESIDENT INVENTORY AND TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1957

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Alexander, Malcolm & Priscilla			30a Part of Hardy Farm	220	10.12
3½a Land & Bldgs.	\$3750	\$172.50	Bennett, Marion		
Allen, Herbert			10a Land & Bldgs.	3800	174.80
100a Story lot	500	23.00	Bennink, Richard & Mary		
Avery, Fred			(Part assessed to Capt. & Mrs. Keiskn)		
Land & Bldg.	2500	115.00	17a Land & Bldgs.	6159	283.31
Bach, Ronald & Priscilla			Berman, Stanley		
Cottage—Granite Lake	3900	179.40	Land & Bldgs.		
Bailey, G. S. Est.			G. L.	5250	241.50
100a Woodland	700	32.20	Boccia & Grout		
Bailey, Minnie			Ledgewood Lots		
5a Land & Bldg.	1400	64.40	G. L. & R of W	1175	54.05
Bailey, Anna			Bowles, Alton & Helen		
1a Land & Bldgs.	200	9.20	90a Westminister, Wilder & Dutton lots	320	14.72
Ballou, Iva H.			Briggs, L. Vernon		
Cottage on G. L.	3400	156.40	Est.		
Barry, Florence			490a Land, Nuban- usit Lake	34160	1571.36
4a Cutting place	1500	69.00	Briggs, Mary		
Beauregard, Charles			Cabot Trust		
345a Stone & Richardson lots	1010	46.46			
Bemis, Ralph					

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Pasture	2000		Pond	600	11930 548.78
30a Yardley pasture	200		Claywood, Henry		
10a Part of Tennney Lot	3000		30a Part of Burpee Farm	210	9.66
Hunt Pasture	500	5700 262.20	Cobleigh, Gerald F.		
Brown, Fred Est.			½a Village Farm	2100	96.60
60a Land	200	9.20	Colby, Alvah S.		
Erown, Irving			20a Buckminster lot	100	4.60
Cottage, G. L.	3700	170.20	Conrad, Phillip		
Brown, Hugh			5a Page lot	50	2.30
5a Robbins lot	50	2.30	Conrad, Margaret		
Burns, Helen			5a Land & Bldgs.	1500	69.00
76a Redmond Farm	3500	161.00	Davenport, Vernon		
Cady, George & Myrtle Land & Bldgs. N. L.	3760	172.96	15a Land & Bldgs.	500	23.00
Caun, Gilbert H.			DeMartelly, Janet & John		
¼a Fisher place	4700	216.20	50a Home Place	1600	7360
Carey, Forrest L.			Doe, Mrs. Ernest		
100a Damon & Jewett lots	900	41.40	27a Atwood place	2300	105.80
Caruso, Arthur J.			Doyle, Mary		
4a Land & Bldgs.	1500	69.00	6a Home place	1700	78.20
Caywood, Doris			Droque, Earl		
2a Land & Cottage	3600		Cottage, Silver Lake	1000	46.00
1/3 Int. Frank Yardley lot			Dutton, Wesley D.		
1/3 Int. Nuban- usit Landing			300a Wilder & Tarbox Lots	1000	
1/3 Int. Tolman Pond Landing	107	3707 170.52	Spaulding Mill Rights	100	
Chandler, James E.			Mill Lot	100	1200 55.20
Land & Bldgs. G. L.	2025	93.15	Esso Standard Oil Co.		
Chaplin, Reed D.			3 Gasoline pumps	450	20.70
1½a Land & Bldgs.	5600		Farwell, Ruth		
5a Part of Scott Est.	50	5650 259.90	5a Redmond place		
Cheshire County Savings Bank			26a Part of Sparks Farm	1000	46.00
1a Perham Place	1000		Faulkner, Gilbert L.		
8a Dunroamin Lodge	8100	9100 418.60	Cottage, G.L.	4900	225.40
Cheshire Mills			Federico, Charles		
10a Plummer & Rugg	1000		30a Farwell lot	210	9.66
30a Reed Lot	300		First Congregational Church of Keene		
R. of W. Nuban- usit Lake	9600		5a Felt Hill lot	50	
43a Sheldon lot	430		Lot on Granite Lake	500	550 25.30
R. of W. Spoonwood			Foster, Alfred		
			300a Home place	3100	142.60
			Foster, Fred & Eleanor		
			Land & Bldgs.	7000	322.00
			Fuller, Henry M.		

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Est.			G.L.	3625	166.75
100a Melville			Hardy, M. F. Est.		
Home place 9800			82a Kelly		
Goodnow & Hub- bard lots 100	9900	455.40	Pasture	300	13.80
Gale, Edith			Hardy, Mrs. Edwin N.		
40a 2-3 Int.			136a Land & Buildings	2600	119.60
Osgood Farm	280	12.88	Hardy, Phillips		
Garrigue, Florence			86a Woodland	250	11.50
4a Cottage-Nu- banusit Lake	1900	87.40	Harper, Lewis		
Giffin, John			1/2a Land & Buildings	2922	134.41
3a Cottage-Tol- man Pond	5900	271.40	Hartwell, Marjorie		
Gilman, H. P.			5a Lots, Land & Buildings	3400	156.40
5a Cottage-Nu- banusit Lake	2700	124.20	Heaney, John F. J.		
Glazier, Gordon L.			55a Page Hill lot	385	17.71
4a Land & Boat House Silver Lake	2400	110.40	Hersey, Winthrop		
Glazier, Wm H.			16a Land & Bldgs.	7375	339.25
2a Cottage, Silver Lake	1700	78.20	Hinds, Ray H.		
Golm, Ingebord G.			45a Holt property 800		
Cottage, Granite Lake	1300	59.80	1/2a Lots, Granite Lake 1600		
Goulin, Alfred			100a Blodgett lot 100		
Land & Bldgs.	500	23.00	16a Tolman Hill lot 700	3200	147.20
Granite Lake Assn.			Hugron, Leon		
Water Rights	500	23.00	Land an Nu- banusit Lake	1020	46.92
Granite Lake Camps			Huntress, Frank C.		
Land & Bldgs.	41100	1890.60	Cottage, Granite Lake	1700	78.20
Greene, Malcolm			Huntsman, Trout		
Cottage	1700	78.20	50a Part of Brooks Farm	250	11.50
Grube, Emil			Ingram, Edw. & Jeanette		
12a Land, Cottage & Cabins	4500	207.00	1/2a Land & Bldgs.	6800	312.80
Guida, Lottie & Alexander J.			Jackson, Charles W.		
4a Case Property	5750	264.50	Land & Bldgs.	2000	92.00
Guida, Seibert Daisy			Janick, Paul F.		
3a Townes Farm	3800	174.80	Land & Bldgs.	3400	156.40
Gulf Oil Co.			Johnson, Alfred		
1 pump	150	6.90	Land & Bldgs.	1100	50.60
Hackler, Wm H.			Joseph, Ruth		
Cottage & R. of W.	2000	92.00	Lot on Tol- man Pond	300	13.80
Hamifin, Thomas			Keene, City of		
33a Donkey Pasture 100			33a Hall & Hardy land 160		
57a Taylor lot 400			77a Land on Echo Lake 1155		
120a Cheney lot 840	1340	61.64	80a Rolfe		
Hammond, J. J.			Land 2300	3615	166.29
248a Gunn lot	740	34.04	Klemperer, Paul		
Hammond, Mary Ledges Camp					

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
55a Land & Buildings	1700	78.20	& Lots G. L.	2100	96.60
Knight, Arthur Cottage & R. of W. 1900			McMahon, John 30a Rugg Lot & Camp	200	920
140a Part of Stevens Farm 525	2425	111.55	Mentor, H. J. 75a Robbins lot	525	24.15
Laubshire, Mrs. George			Mentor, Leon D. Land & Bldgs.	3075	141.45
1a Brown lot	50	2.20	Metcalf, Doris Taylor lot	350	16.10
Law, Mrs. Alexander 250a Land & Buildings	6600	303.60	Millbank, Mrs. Robert Est.		
Leroux, W. 60a Part of Kelly Farm	180	8.28	200a Land 600 Land & Bldgs. 8100	8700	400.20
Lindner, Charles P. 3½a Land & Buildings	700	32.20	Miller, Mrs. Elizabeth		
Lindner, Carl M. 5a Fay lot	90	4.14	3a Part of Hardy Farm	50	2.30
Lindner, Priscilla L. 5a Patrick lot	90	4.14	Murdock, E. Co. 75a Eustace & Pearson lots	525	24.15
Lintz, Arthur 4a Land & Bldgs.	6100	280.60	Murray, Albert F. 1¼a Dunn Place & Land on Route 9	3500	161.00
Lis, Michael Cottages, Granite Lake	1700	78.20	Newberry, Dwight 1½a Land & Buildings	2300	105.80
Little, Jessie Cottage, Granite Lake	4200	193.20	Newcombe, Eleanor G. Cottage, Granite Lake	5500	253.00
Lubik, Joseph & Frank 1a Land & Bldgs.			N. E. Woodenware Co. 100a Morse Lot	700	32.20
Nubanusit L.	6750	310.50	Olson, Mary C. 2 Lots & Boat- house G. L.	1600	73.60
Mackey, Charles 60a Cram place	1600	73.60	Osgood, Charles H. 265a Beals Place 1855		
Makechnie, Dr. A. N. 24a Land & Bldgs.	4900	225.40	108a Saccarapa 756 90a Part of Patric Farm 630		
Maniscalco, James 50a Barn & Land	1200	55.20	40a 1-3 int. Osgood Farm 140	3381	155.53
Marienfeld Camp 148a Carroll Pasture	1036	47.66	Page, Ralph Log Cabin	325	14.95
Mason, Mrs. A. E. Hale Dam site	100	4.60	Parker, Mrs. Leonia Est.		
Mason, Wallace Est. Cottage No. 1 2900 Cottage No. 2 4400	7300	335.80	67a Holt Place	2700	124.20
McClure, Kenneth 55a Blodgett lot 385			Parker, Lewis 60a Taylor lot 420 40a Gibson lot 240		
11a Tolman Hill lot 75	460	21.16	152a Osgood Farm 1100 Bulldozer 800	2560	117.76
McIntire, Laura 1½a Land, Bldgs			Patek, Dr. A. J. 7a Land & Bldgs.	3900	179.40

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Pelletier, Anna			50a Apple Hill		
Cottages			Camps	14500	667.00
Granite Lake	3600	165.60	Rodgers Chas. R.		
Phillips, E. W.			& Edith		
130a Land &			Land & Bldgs.	3000	138.00
Buildings	1200	55.20	Rowe, Hollis		
P. H. F., Inc.			Land, Silver Lake	2100	96.60
Keene, N. H.			Rowell, Clark A.		
Land on			Land & Buildgs.	1750	80.50
Silver Lake	350	16.10	Seaver, Edgar		
Plant, Sidney			55a Land,		
Land & Bldgs.	6200	285.20	Silver Lake	4369	200.97
Poland, Orville			Seaver, L. & A.		
Land & Bldgs.	1000	46.00	100a Robbins		
Priest, Elliot &			Pasture	700	32.20
Homer			Sebastian, Lester		
Bark Mill lot	50	2.30	Land & Bldgs.		
Priest, Theodore			G. L.	4000	184.00
35a Hubbard			Shepard, Clarence &		
Lot	225	10.35	Lily		
Public Service Co.			Land & Bldgs.		
of N. H.			Route 9	1000	46.00
Lines	70500	3243.00	Shepard, Elizabeth		
Quigley, Terrance			16a Land & Bldgs.		
Lot on Stod-			Silver Lake	6354	292.28
dard Road	50	2.30	Smith, Mrs. F. C. Est.		
Reed, Veria B.			66a Land &		
Cottage, Tol-			Bldgs. Nub. Lake	14400	662.40
man Pond	1200	55.20	Smith, Phillip		
Richardson, Bernard F.			3a Land & Bldgs.	400	18.40
2a Home Place	2200	101.20	Spaulding, Earl B.		
Richardson, Helen S.			30a Land & Bldgs.		
4½a Lakeview			Tolman Pond	2600	119.60
Cabins	16100	740.60	Stebbins, Edith		
Richardson, Lester			74a Land & Bldgs.	1200	55.20
40a ½ Kennis-			Stewart, Mrs. Lorraine		
ton Lot	300	13.80	70a Taylor		
Richardson, Harry			Pasture	500	23.00
40a ½ Kennis-			Stockwell, Sidney		
ton Lot	300	13.80	500a Kemp, Lewis		
Robertson, Norris H. &			& Goodhue lots	1500	69.00
Barbara B.			Swett, Perley		
Land, Nubanusit			26a Towne lot		
Lake	1500	69.00	78a Part of		
Robertson Motors Co.			Harris lot	312	14.35
50a Priest lot	350	16.10	Takio, Alice		
Robin, Isadore			½a Huber Place	1600	73.60
2a Corey Cot-			Tarbox, Charles		
tage G. L.	3300	151.80	Land, Granite		
Robinson, Mrs.			Lake	1225	56.35
Catherine			Tarr, Ruth & Steve		
Camp, Tol-			40a Flood Est.	1100	50.60
man Pond	1500	69.00	Teppema, Jan		
Robinson, Miss			115a Land &		
Wendy & Mrs. L.			Buildings	4800	220.80
Beverly			Thompson, Theron		
Kelitinsky			5a Part of		

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Barker Farm	50	2.30	Tribble, Joseph		
Thayer, Harold L. & Ann M.			2a Skinner Place & Lot	3300	151.80
2a Land & Bldgs. Nelson Village	2000	92.00	Trowbridge, C. P.		
Tolman, Cora J. Est.			200a Land & Buildings	6150	282.90
33a Land & Bldgs. Nelson Village	2000	92.00	Tuttle, Gale C.		
Tolman, Mrs. Helen			Cottage, Granite Lake	1500	69.00
¼a Fletcher Place	2400		Thibodeau, Ernest C.		
10a City Hill lot & 5a White Pond Pasture	100	2500 115.00	Land & Bldgs. Nubanusit Lake	7330	337.18
Tolman, Gordon F. Est.			Vigeant, E		
377a Land & Buildings	1951		Cottages, Granite Lake	2300	105.80
35a Blodgett lot 245			Ward, Allen		
4a Homer Place, Land & Buildings	2900		45a Felt Hill lot	315	14.49
3a Land, Nubanusit Lake	1800		Weaver, Ralph		
½ Int. Brickyard Lot			Cottage	1700	78.20
½ Int. Simmons Place			Welch, Joseph		
½ Int. Tenney Lot			11a Land & Bldgs. Nubanusit Lake	8000	368.00
1-3 Int. Nubanusit Landing			Wells, Wellington Est.		
1-3 Int. Tolman Pond Landing			20a White Lot	140	6.44
1-3 Int. Frank Yardley lot	465	7361 338.61	Whipple, Mrs. Walter		
Tolman Arvilla			6a White Place	6000	276.00
650a City Hill Lot	2600	119.60	Wilder, Rose		
Tolman, Ethan			5½ Greene, Guillo & Tarbox Lots	225	10.35
45a Land	315	14.49	Wilder, Wilfred		
Trask, Henry A.			4a Part of Stone Lot	50	2.30
1a Warren Cottage	2100	96.60	Williams, W. E.		
			12a Land & Bldgs.	6300	289.80
			Wilson, David Bruce		
			Land & Bldgs. Route 9	1000	46.00
			Wiswell, Leroy		
			18a Hilltop lot	126	5.80
			Wright, Charles		
			45a Land & Bldgs.	4300	197.80
			Wright, Maybelle		
			Cottages	1600	73.60

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

YEAR 1957

RECEIPTS

From local taxes:

Current year:

Property taxes	\$36,432 73
Poll taxes	136 00
Yield taxes	99 88
Interest collected	2 18
Head taxes and penalties	476 00

\$37,146 79

Prior years:

Property taxes	\$7,845 66
Poll taxes	64 00
Yield taxes	275 66
Interest collected	294 12
Head taxes and penalties	197 50
Tax sales redeemed	852 75

\$46,676 48

From state:

Interest and dividends tax	\$2,488 00
Savings bank tax	49 51
Class V highway maintenance	69 52
Refund—Pine Blister Rust	95

2,607 98

From local sources except taxes:

Dog licenses	\$145 80
Rent of town hall	64 00
Rent of road equipment	42 75
Motor vehicle permits	1,519 83
Sale of town equipment	260 00

Sale of calcium chloride	40 00	
Sale of town owned land	40 00	
Yield tax deposit	75 00	
Balance of former road agent's acct.	43 90	
Gift to cemetery	10 00	
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Receipts other than current revenue:

Temporary loans	\$20,000 00	
Refunds on insurance	12 77	
Refunds on bank interest	86 67	
	<hr/>	20,099 44
Total receipts during year		<hr/> \$71,625 18
Balance, Dec. 31, 1956		5,456 06
		<hr/> \$77,081 24
Less—Total payments		70,986 82
		<hr/> \$6,094 42

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE TOLMAN,

Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

From local taxes (collected and remitted to treasurer) :	
Property taxes—current year—1957	\$36,432 73
Poll taxes—Current Year—1957	136 00
Yield taxes—1957	99 48
State head taxes @ \$5—1957	475 00

Total current year's taxes collected and remitted	\$37,143 61
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Property taxes and yield taxes—previous years	8,121 32
Poll taxes—previous years	64 00
State head taxes @ \$5—previous years	180 00
Interest received on taxes	296 30
Penalties on state head taxes	18 50
Tax sales redeemed	852 75

From state :

For highways and bridges :

(b) For Class V highway maintenance	69 52
Interest and dividends tax	2,488 00
Savings Bank tax and Building and Loan Association tax	49 51
Refund—Pine Blister Rust Control	95

From local sources, except taxes

Dog licenses	145 80
Rent of town property	106 75
Yield tax deposit	75 00
Balance of 1956 funds. Highway dept.	43 90
Registration of motor vehicles, 1956, permits	12 80
Registration of motor vehicles, 1957, permits	1,507 03

PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:

General government:

Town officers' salaries	\$1,235 00
Town officers' expenses	835 54
Election and registration expenses	25 00
Expenses town hall and other buildings	246 37

Protection of persons and property:

Police department	68 68
Fire department, including forest fires	624 52
Moth extermination—Blister Rust and Care of trees	200 00
Insurance	642 06
Civil defense	138 82

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	135 00
Vital statistics	5 00
Town dumps and garbage removal	101 50

Highways and bridges:

Town road aid	384 40
Town maintenance (Summer—\$4,713 06 Winter—\$3,848 24)	8,561 30
Calcium chloride—Culverts—Grader repairs	2,723 77
General expenses of highway dept.	570 13

Public welfare:

Old Age assistance	18 28
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Patriotic purposes:

Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations	47 80
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Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	100 00
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Public service enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	625 50
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Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	20 14
Advertising and regional associations	89 00
Taxes bought by town	887 36
Discounts, abatements and refunds (includes yield tax deposits of \$105 00)	144 90
Payment to state a/c yield tax debt retirement	11 70

Total current maintenance expenses	\$18,441 77
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RECEIPTS (Cont.)

Receipts other than current revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	20,000 00
Insurance adjustment	12 77
Refunds	86 67
Gifts	10 00
Sale of town property	340 00
Total receipts other than current revenue	\$20,499 44
Total receipts from all sources	\$71,625 18
Cash on hand January 1, 1957	5,456 06
Grand total	\$77,081 24

PAYMENTS (Cont.)

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$527 91
Paid on long term notes	50 00

Total interest payments	\$577 91
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Outlay for new construction, equipment and permanent improvements:

Highways and bridges—town construction	\$787 05
Lands and buildings (fire station \$2,803 98)	2,803 98
New equipment (highway—\$22 50)	22 50

Total outlay payments	\$3,613 53
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$23,000 00
Payments on long term notes	1,000 00

Total indebtedness payments	\$24,000 00
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Payments to other governmental divisions:

State head taxes paid state treas.	\$634 50
Taxes paid to county	2,501 32
Payments to school districts (1956 tax \$10,217 79 1957 tax \$11,000 00)	21,217 79

Total payments to other governmental divisions	\$24,353 61
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Total payments for all purposes	\$70,986 82
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Cash on hand December 31, 1957	6,094 42
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Grand total	\$77,081 24
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ANALYSIS OF ESTIMATED TOWN CHARGES FOR 1958 (Art. 2)

Town officers' salaries:	
Selectman No. 1	\$300 00
Selectman No. 2	200 00
Selectman No. 3	100 00
Moderator	10 00
Town clerk	150 00
Tax collector	300 00
Treasurer	100 00
Constable	15 00
Health and police officer	15 00
Auditor	45 00
Total	<hr/> \$1,235 00
Town officers' expenses:	
Telephone, stationery supplies	200 00
Dog tags	10 00
Association dues and expenses	65 00
Surety bonds	50 00
Registry of deeds	25 00
Running town lines	50 00
Publishing town report	450 00
Auto fees	100 00
Abatements and refunds	100 00
Total	<hr/> \$1,050 00
Election and registration expenses	300 00
Town hall and other buildings	250 00
Police department	100 00
Insurance	500 00
Town dump	50 00
General expenses highway department	600 00

Old age assistance	25 00	
Damage and legal expenses	25 00	
Interest	500 00	
Long term note	1,000 00	
County taxes	2,500 00	
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Total Article 2		\$8,135 00

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

WINTER MAINTENANCE

Labor (Road Agent and men)	\$1,836 55
Leonard Frazier and truck at \$2.15 per hr.	27 95
Edward Savage and truck at \$1.50 per hr.	169 50
Edward Murdough	
Trucking at \$4.70 per hr.	\$1,379 45
Loading sand (396 yds. @ .25)	99 00
Digger at \$6.50 per hr.	52 00
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	1,530 45
Fred Lincoln, bulldozer	9 00
Tom Rowe, snow removal (1956)	4 00
Winston French, snow plowing	
@ \$3.50 per hr.	63 00
Materials and supplies	128 34
Towing grader	79 45
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Total amount of winter maintenance	\$3,848 24

SUMMER MAINTENANCE

Labor (Road Agent and men)	\$2,782 03
Edward Savage and truck @ \$1.50 per hr.	490 50
Edward Murdough	
Trucking at \$4.70 per hr.	\$655 65
Loading sand (1002 yds. @ .25)	250 50
Digger at \$7.00 per hr.	126 00
Bulldozer	161 50
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	1,193 65
Winston French, labor and equipment	6 00
Frank Upton, Jr., trucking calcium chloride	17 50
Edward Savage, power saw	10 50
Materials	212 88
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Total amount of summer maintenance	\$4,713 06

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION—Upton Hill Road

Edward Murdough and earth moving equipment	\$349 80
R. W. Payne, Inc. and earth moving equipment	280 95
Frank E. Upton, Jr., supervision, labor and equipment	125 70
Gravel	30 60
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Total amount of special appropriation	\$787 05

GENERAL HIGHWAY EXPENSE

Labor	\$189 66
Trucking	10 50
Grader supplies	297 17
Dynamite and caps	17 13
Tools	
6 stone pickers	\$32 94
4 shovels	15 92
3 paint brushes	2 99
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	51 85
Misc. supplies	3 82
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Total general highway expense	\$570 13

GRADER REPAIRS

Scott Machinery, Inc.	
Start grader when in ditch (Jan. 19, 1957)	\$44 67
General repairs, labor and parts	1,713 77
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	\$1,758 44
R. Buckley	
Welding grader breakage	\$52 50
(Dec. 1956, Jan. & Feb. 1957)	
Welding and labor (June, 1957)	30 00
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	82 50

Tires

Hampshire Retreading and Tire Co. repairs	\$5 71	
Goodyear Service Stores		
New grader tire	\$233 00	
Repair and recap		
grader tires	105 07	
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		343 78
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Total grader repairs		\$2,184 72

EDWARD SAVAGE

Road Agent.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS, TOWN OF NELSON

ON DECEMBER 31, 1957

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance End Year (Principal)	Balance Beginning Year (Income)	Rate of Per Cent Interest	Income Year	Amount Expended During Year	Balance Income End of Year
1902	Melville Cemetery Trust Fund	Cheshire Co. Sav. Bank	\$200.00	\$21.94	3/4	\$7.25	\$5.00	\$24.19
1903	Bancroft Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	100.00	16.82	3/4	3.81	2.00	18.63
1906	Whitney Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	50.00	11.77	3/4	2.00		13.77
1908	Charles Atwood Cemetery Trust Fd.	" " "	50.00	12.59	3/4	2.03	1.00	13.62
1909	Flora Bryant Cemetery Trust Fd.	" " "	50.00	11.21	3/4	2.00		13.21
1910	Russell Kittridge Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	100.00	14.49	3/4	3.74	1.00	17.23
1921	James Derby Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	300.00	27.83	3/4	10.72	5.00	33.55
1923	Wilson Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	100.00	15.83	3/4	3.77	1.00	18.60
1928	Isaac White Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	50.00	12.68	3/4	2.03	1.00	13.71
1932	Henry Melville Library Trust Fd.	" " "	2000.00	150.88	3/4	70.45		221.33
1932	Henry Melville Library Trust Fund	" " "	1000.00		3/4	32.76	32.76	
1933	Della Smith Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	100.00	16.02	3/4	3.79	1.00	18.81
1946	Edric Smith Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	100.00	16.16	3/4	3.81	1.00	18.97
1949	William Conrad Cemetery Trust Fd.	" " "	200.00	20.64	3/4	7.22	5.00	22.86
1951	Homer F. and Ethel Priest Cemetery Trust Fund	" " "	200.00	20.56	3/4	7.22	5.00	22.78
1946	Town of Nelson Reserve Fund, Town	" " "	500.00	146.27	3/4	21.16		167.43
	Totals		\$5100.00	\$515.69		\$183.76	\$60.76	\$638.69

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 9, 1958

HELEN TOWNE,

DOROTHY F. FRENCH,

FRANCES B. TOLMAN,

Trustees.

THE OLIVIA RODHAM MEMORIAL LIBRARY

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Number of volumes in library, Jan. 1957	5606
Bought	9
Gifts	3

Total number of volumes in library, Jan. 1958	5618
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The county bookmobile of the Extension Division of the State Library visited Nelson five times during the year leaving a total of 190 books at the Nelson Library.

ALICE W. SHARPLES

Librarian.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES YEAR 1957

RECEIPTS

Balance, Jan. 1, 1957 (other than stock	\$948 47
Dividends from Am. Tel. & Tel. stock	108 00
Interest from Melville Library Fund	32 76
Interest on General Fund	20 03
Interest on White Fund (1955/57)	8 61

\$1,117 87

PAYMENTS

Alice W. Sharples, Librarian	\$42 00
Alice W. Sharples, books	18 95
Alice W. Sharples, expenses	54
Mason Insurance Agency—insurance	115 97

177 46

Balance, Dec. 31, 1957 (other than stock)	\$940 41
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INVESTMENTS, DEC. 31, 1957

Petty cash		\$ 78
Cheshire County Savings Bank:		
General Fund, Book No. 46512		843 61
Barbara and Barrie White, Jr.		
Trust Fund, Book No. 28120		96 02
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		\$940 41
American Tel. & Tel. Stock:		
10 shares—Gift of Mrs. Elliot	\$1,591 88	
2 shares—Purchased by Trustees	206 80	
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		1,798 68
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Total investments		\$2,739 09

MILDRED G. QUIGLEY

Treasurer, Library Trustees

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERY

RECEIPTS

Received from the town	\$125 50
Received from trust funds	28 00
	<hr/> \$153 50

EXPENSES

Total 1957 expenses for care of Nelson cemetery	\$153 50
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Balance	\$000 00

WINSTON H. FRENCH
Supt. of Cemetery.

REPORT OF TOWN HALL CUSTODIAN

RECEIPTS

8 paid dances @ \$8.00	\$64 00
6 benefit dances, no charge	00 00
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EXPENSES

Total 1957 expenses for care of Town Hall and grounds	\$40 00
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Balance	\$24 00

WINSTON H. FRENCH,
Custodian.

REPORT OF THE NELSON FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Nelson Fire Department has come a long way since the last report was made to the residents of Nelson, and much progress has been made in giving better fire protection to the people of the town.

The department presently has two good pieces of fire fighting equipment housed in a very suitable building located in Munsonville and a group of well trained and interested men to operate same.

Truck No. 1, the converted army truck, presently carries the following equipment: 1200 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. hose, 600 feet $1\frac{1}{8}$ in. hose, 8 Indian pumps, nozzles, ladder, searchlights, axes, rakes and mattocks. The truck has a built-in pump with a capacity of 110 gals. per minute, a tank holding 170 gal., two 10 ft. lengths of suction hose with strainer. The portable pump is also carried on this truck. The truck has this year been equipped with a spotlight, a 24 ft. ladder and rack.

Truck No. 2 is a $1\frac{1}{2}$ ton 1947 Dodge with two speed rear axle which was secured for the town thru the good offices of the State Civil Defense Agency and came from Portsmouth Navy Yard. This truck has a separate engine that pumps 500 gals. per minute at a 150 lb. pressure, 1200 ft. of $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. hose is carried, a 30 ft. extension and a 12 ft. ladder, nozzles, emergency smoke masks, first aid kit, emergency lanterns, helmets and coats, two 10 ft. lengths $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. and two 10 ft. lengths 2 in. suction hose with strainers. Truck No. 2 carries 400 gals. water. The two way radio tying in your department with the Mutual Aid System is installed on this truck. During the past year the truck has been overhauled, painted, ladders re-varnished, and all equipment put in good condition by members of the department.

The fire house was partially completed in October, 1957, the outside work being done by contract. Using money that has been raised and donated, for the most part by Granite Lake and Munsonville residents, the members have insulated the

building, installed wall board, done all electrical work, laid a floor in the upper part of the building to provide space for a meeting room and storage space. The old oil stove from the town barn has been placed in the building to provide heat as a temporary measure. This has kept the water in the truck tanks from freezing and has insured that the trucks could be started and operated in cold weather; this is a requirement for membership in the Mutual Aid System.

There are at present 15 active members in the department who meet a minimum of once a month during the winter for business sessions and inside work, and for out of door drills in the warmer weather. At the drill sessions hose is run out, suction put into the water supply, and each member drilled in the use of hose and ladder handling, operation of the pumps, and other pieces of fire fighting equipment. All of the members at present are residents of the Munsonville section of Nelson and any interested men from other parts of the town will be most welcome.

We have been most fortunate this past year that no serious fire loss occurred. The department responded to two chimney fires and one brush fire.

During the drouth townspeople were offered the use of fire equipment in hauling water to any families needing it, and the department was able to help one resident who requested help.

In 1957 your department expended \$831.18 of its own funds for purchase of equipment, building supplies, etc. Members volunteered over 200 man hours working on the trucks and the building.

It is the hope of the department members that the townspeople will see fit to appropriate sufficient monies to complete the building and to add needed equipment. Requirements are explained in articles offered for inclusion in the warrant.

The members of the Nelson Fire Department wish to express their appreciation to the people of the town, the Board of Selectmen, the N. H. State Civil Defense Agency, and the Keene Fire Department for the help and cooperation in aiding in establishing an efficient fire fighting unit that these persons have given.

Respectfully submitted, JOSEPH G. DOBSON, Chief

REPORT OF THE CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

During the past year the fire truck, secured for the town by the State Civil Defense Agency from the Portsmouth Navy Yard thru the good offices of Capt. Louis Coutu, U.S.N., has been refurbished and partially equipped thru the combined efforts of the fire department personnel, the Board of Selectmen, and the Civil Defense Director, and presently is in condition to cope with practically any emergency that might occur in Nelson.

There are still a number of items needed that would add to the efficiency of this unit, and it is the hope of the writer that funds for needed items may be included in an appropriation for the Civil Defense organization for the current year. A more detailed description of the work done and contemplated needs will be found in the report of the Chief of the Fire Department.

It might be of interest to the taxpayers that thru the New Hampshire Distributing Agency and the State Civil Defense Agency it is often possible to secure, at most reasonable cost and thru matching funds, various items that will prove of value to several departments of the town. Thru the above agencies it has been possible to secure our new fire truck valued at \$5,661.00 at a cost of less than \$200.00, the two way radio equipment that ties Nelson in with the Mutual Aid system, coats, helmets, Indian Pumps, and hand searchlights for use with both fire units.

On Dec. 6, 1957 the director supervised an evacuation test held as part of a statewide alert, at the school in Munsonville. The purpose of the test was to ascertain the length of time required for the children to reach their homes in the event of an emergency. A report of this test was submitted to the Selectmen and to the School Board for their consideration.

It is hoped that included among the various items of equipment we hope to secure is a suitable warning system for use

in the town in event of an emergency.

The writer would like to express his appreciation to the Board of Selectmen, the Fire Department, and to the members of the State Civil Defense Agency for their help and cooperation during his terms as director.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

KENNETH B. BALCH,

Civil Defense Director

Town of Nelson, N. H.

SELECTMENS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in the foregoing reports was taken from official records and is correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

FRANCIS R. DONOVAN,
KENNETH T. COREY,
RODGER M. TOLMAN,

Selectmen.

FLORENCE B. TOLMAN,

Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Trustees of Trust Funds, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agent, and Library Financial Report. My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as I considered necessary in the circumstances. Receipts have been properly accounted for; payments duly approved and recorded, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

SIDNEY F. PARTRIDGE,

Auditor.

January 25, 1958.

REPORT OF ROAD SURVEY COMMITTEE

During the past year members of the Road Survey Committee have inspected all the town roads and considered several of our road problems. We have also sought the advice of highway engineers whose counsel we have found most helpful.

As a result of our investigation we wish to present for the consideration of the voters the following recommendations. (See map.)

- I. Certain roads and sections of roads should be widened and ditched. These include:
 1. Road 50, Struthers's corner to Tolman Pond.
 2. Road 69, Nelson Center to the Warner farm.
 3. Road 72, the section between roads 69 and 44.
- II. Certain roads and sections of roads should receive a hard surface treatment. Our best information clearly indicates that such roads can be maintained at approximately the same cost as gravel roads and, on grades, hard surfaced roads can be maintained at considerably less expense than those surfaced with gravel. This conclusion is even further emphasized in Nelson where gravel in adequate quality and quantity appears to be practically non-existent. We therefore recommend that a hard surface treatment be applied at the following locations:
 1. Road 62, the section between Sharples' corner and the Harrisville town line.
 2. Road 64, Nelson Center to Nelson Cemetery.
 3. Road 50, the section between road 41 and Struthers' corner.
- III. Certain roads and sections of roads should be made subject to "Gates and Bars." These roads have gradually fallen into public disuse and consequently some of them have not been maintained. This action is

suggested to relieve the town of liability for repairs and damage claims and is applicable to the following roads:

1. Road 70, from the property of Mrs. Irene Tompkins southwesterly to the Sullivan line.
2. Road 83, northerly from the Teppema property.
3. Road 80, southerly from road 64 to the Harrisville line.
4. Road 81 southwesterly from road 67 to the Roxbury line.
5. Road connecting roads 66 and 81 near the Trowbridge property.
6. Road 82, westerly from road 66 to the Roxbury line.
7. Road 50 southeasterly from the property of Mr. Joseph Skinner to the Harrisville line.

We believe the improvements we have suggested can be undertaken gradually without undue expense to the town and that they will be in the best interests of both resident and non-resident taxpayers.

Road Survey Committee,

FRANCIS DONOVAN,

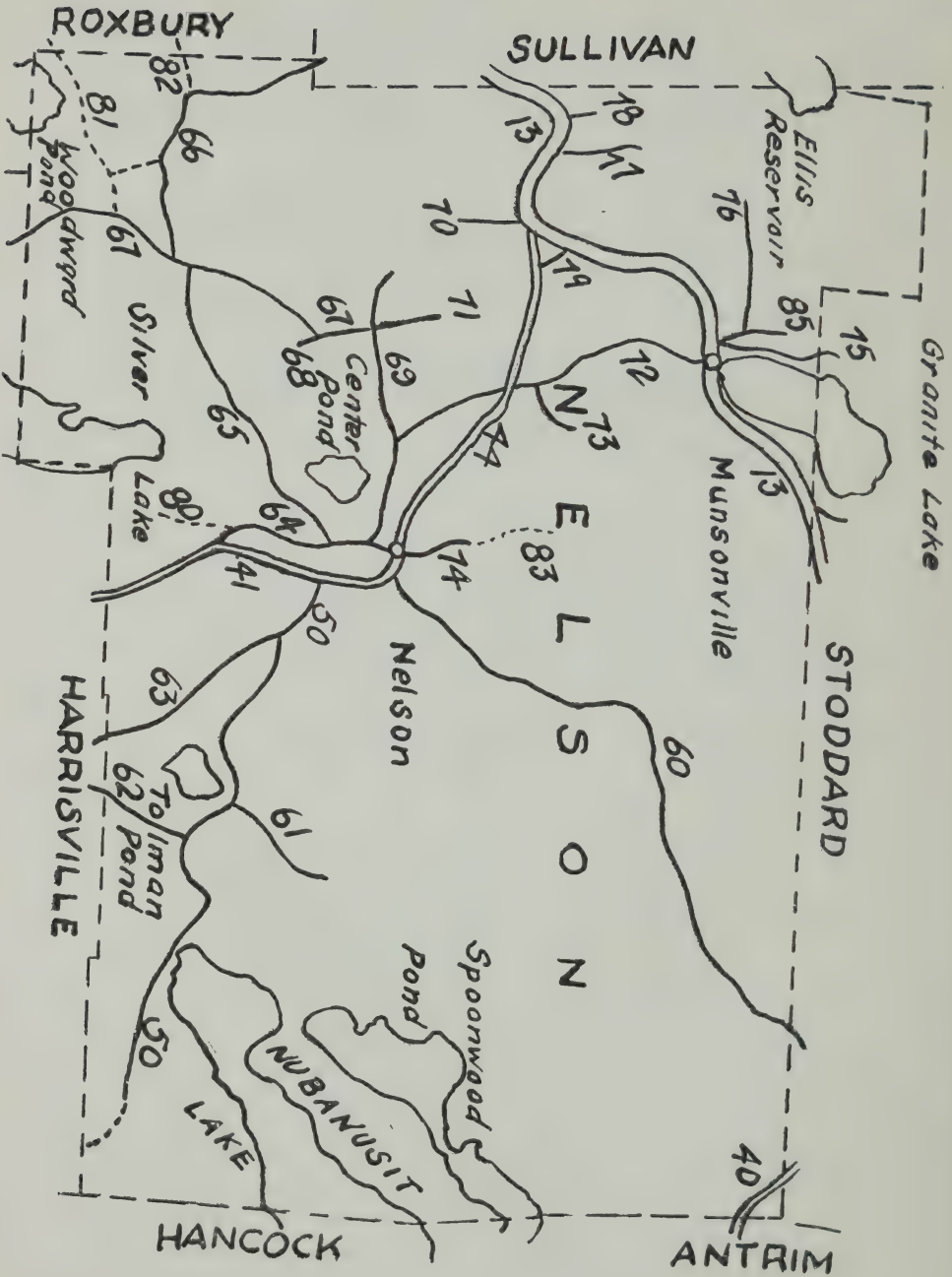
Chairman

EDWARD SAVAGE,

EDWARD MURDOUGH,

RODGER TOLMAN,

KENNETH COREY.



VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

<i>Date</i> 1957	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Parents</i>
Dec.	Keene	Yvette Murdough	Theodore F. Murdough Dorothy Weston Murdough

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i> 1957	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Feb. 15	Keene	Kenneth Robert Murphy	Keene
		Sarah Lillian Warlick	Nelson
July 17	Nelson	Frank Eugene Upton, Jr.	Nelson
		Eleanor Jefferies Ellicott	Nelson
Nov. 10	Nelson	John Edward Warner	Nelson
		Mildred Louise Leslie	Gilsum
Dec. 21	Nelson	Aubrey Fred Murdough	Nelson
		Kathryn Weston	Nelson

DEATHS

<i>Date</i> 1957	<i>Place of birth</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
Feb. 13	Westford, Mass.	Leon Patrick	84
Mar. 11	Newark, N. J.	Edna C. Donovan	41
July 23	Sterling, Minn.	William Orion Conrad	96
Sept. 11	Nelson, N. H.	Charles Hardy Osgood	76
Nov. 10	New London, Conn.	Laura Etta Dunn Page	90
Nov. 14	Boston, Mass.	Mary Elizabeth Watt	42
Dec. 27	Chesterfield, Mass.	Edith May Frazier	46

MRS. PRISCILLA T. WALTER,
Town Clerk of Nelson.

ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
SCHOOL BOARD
AND
DISTRICT OFFICERS
OF
Nelson School District
Nelson, N. H.

For the School Year Ending
June 30, 1957

NELSON SCHOOL DISTRICT DIRECTORY

School Year 1957-1958

SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Myra J. King, Chairman	Term Expires March 1959
Mr. R. E. Robinson	Term Expires March 1958
Mrs. Dorothy F. Leonard	Term Expires March 1958

SCHOOL STAFF

Dr. C. L. Bowlby	Superintendent
Mrs. Ann L. Adams	Grades 1-4
Mrs. Sandra Whippie	Grades 5-8
Mr. George Staples	Custodian
Dr. Samuel Paul	School Doctor
Mrs. Marion Warner	School Nurse

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Mrs. Irene Thompkins	Treasurer
Mrs. Eleanor J. Upton	Clerk
Mr. Francis W. Tolman	Moderator
Mr. Sidney Partridge	Auditor

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School district in the town of Nelson qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 8th day of March 1958, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see what action the district will take to authorize the School Board to establish a Salary Schedule for the District Teaching Staff.
10. To see if the district will vote to accept the provisions of Ch. 186 Par. 24 RSA. as amended to provide for the employment of a helping teacher on a union-wide basis to assist teachers and pupils—to improve the growth and development of children, solve pupil problems of retardation and maladjustment, adapting the program of studies to better meet pupil needs, acting as consultant to the entire staff, etc.—and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$135.00 (one hundred thirty-five) as Nelson's share of the helping teacher salary.
11. To see what action the district will take to authorize the School Board to enter into tuition contracts with Marlboro and or Keene School districts for the education of High School pupils.
12. To take up any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

R. E. ROBINSON,

DOROTHY F. LEONARD,

School Board.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NELSON SCHOOL DISTRICT

March 9, 1957

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 p. m. by the Moderator, Francis W. P. Tolman, who then read the school warrant.

Article 1. Francis W. P. Tolman was elected Moderator for the coming year; the Clerk casting one ballot.

Article 2. Mrs. Eleanor J. Ellicott was elected Clerk for the ensuing year; the Moderator casting one ballot.

Article 3. Mrs. Gale Forssen was elected as a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years; the Clerk casting one ballot.

Article 4. Mrs. Irene Tompkins was elected Treasurer for the ensuing year; the Clerk casting one ballot.

Article 5. Motion by Robert E. Robinson, Chairman of the School Board; Moved to pass over this article and take up under Article 8. Seconded and passed by voice vote.

Article 6. Mr. Robinson asked and was granted permission to give a report on the school situation, from which the following notes were taken:

On September 4th, 1956, the School Board and Building Committee met and accepted the work completed by Mr. Hubert Priest on the Munsonville School.

A balance of \$257.13 from the Building Fund will be used to remedy the wet cellar under the school.

This district is now eligible for State Building Aid in the amount of \$400 per year for two years.

The insurance policy on the school building will be changed to a mutual company.

It has been impossible to obtain the services of a nurse for health examinations. By law, a lay person may not fill this position, and a nurse must be a registrant of this state.

A salary schedule for the teachers and custodian has been considered and will be studied during the coming months so that an article can be incorporated into next year's warrant. The school board does not recommend a pay raise this year.

The New Hampshire Department of Education gives the following pay levels for women teachers of elementary grades:

	low	medium	high	average
Rural	\$2,400	\$2,800	\$3,700	\$2,878
Town	\$2,500	\$3,150	\$5,360	\$3,207

The Munsonville teachers receive the following:

Mrs. Hastings—principal	\$3,500
Miss Grout	3,200

The co-operative secondary school program being considered by towns adjacent to Keene is unlikely to be found practical, therefore will not be accepted. Keene will consider increasing the capacity of her secondary schools to take care of out-lying tuition students.

Mr. William McIntyre had made a personal inquiry on teachers' salaries in the surrounding towns and found them generally higher than Munsonville.

Mr. Rodger Tolman gave a report on teachers' salary demands in adjacent states which were consistently higher than New Hampshire. Mr. Tolman then made a motion which was withdrawn to be taken up under Article 8.

Article 7. Motion by Mrs. Newton Tolman: That this article be passed over and taken up after Article 8. Seconded and passed by a show of hands, 14 to 13.

Article 8. Motion by Mr. Robinson: That the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$23,301.00 for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town. The motion was seconded.

Amendment by Mr. Rodger Tolman: That the appropriation for operating expenses of the Munsonville School for the school year 1957-1958 be increased by \$450.00 and that this meeting go on record as recommending to the School Board that this amount be used for the following salary increments:

Mrs. Hastings	\$200
Miss Grout	150
Mrs. Wilson	50
Mr. Staples	50

The amendment was seconded.

The Moderator granted a request to vote on the amendment by ballot, with the following results:

No—25

Yes—11.

Moción: That the motion be accepted as read. Seconded.

Amendment by Mr. Kenneth Balch: That the salary of the custodian be increased by \$50 and the amount of \$23,351.00 be substituted in the Motion. Seconded and passed by voice vote. Motion (above) was then voted on as amended and passed by voice vote.

Article 7. Mr. Sidney Partridge was elected Auditor for the ensuing year. The Clerk was instructed to cast one ballot.

Article 9. Motion: That this article be passed over. Seconded and passed by voice vote. A discussion preceded this motion and it was decided that through co-operative efforts a fence could be built without expense to the town. A tree fence was suggested.

Article 10. Motion: That we raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$200.00 for the expansion and improvement of the present playground area. Seconded and passed by voice vote.

Article 11. Motion: That the Clerk be empowered to cast one ballot for the following Building Committee:

Mr. Francis Donovan
 Mr. Joseph Dobson
 Mr. Edward Murdough
 Mr. Frank E. Upton, Jr.

Seconded and passed by voice vote. The ballot was cast by the Clerk.

Motion: That this group give a rising vote of thanks to the School Board, Superintendent, and Building Committee for their work during the past year. Seconded and passed by a unanimous standing vote.

Approximately thirty-nine voters were present at this meeting.

Motion: (9:30 p. m.): That this meeting be adjourned. Seconded and passed unanimously by voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR J. ELLICOTT,

School Clerk.

A true record.

NELSON SCHOOL BUDGET

Year 1957-1958

1. Salaries of district officers		\$150 00
Board chairman	\$50 00	
Treasurer	25 00	
Secretary	30 00	
Board member	25 00	
Clerk	5 00	
Moderator	10 00	
Auditor	5 00	
2. Superintendent's salary (local share)		255 00
3. Tax for state supervision at \$2.00 per pupil		92 00
4. Salaries of admin. personnel		179 00
5. Supplies and expenses of adm.		300 00
6. Teachers' salaries		6,875 00
7. Helping teacher		132 00
8. Books and instructional aids		350 00
9. Scholars supplies		350 00
10. Supplies and other expenses		200 00
11. Salary of custodian		650 00
12. Fuel and heat		700 00
13. Water, light and supplies		550 00
14. Repairs and replacements		50 00
15. Health supervision		100 00

16. Transportation	4,400 00
17. Tuition—High and Jr. High Schools	5,700 00
18. Special activities	25 00
19. Retirement	515 00
20. Insurance	435 00
21. Land and buildings (grading)	200 00
22. Improvements	100 00
23. New Equipment	100 00
24. Principal of debt	2,000 00
25. Interest on debt	405 00
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Total appropriation	\$24,813 00

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand June 30, 1958	\$0 00
State building aid	\$600 00
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Total receipts	\$600 00
District assessment	24,213 00
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Total	\$24,813 00

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE NELSON SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 1956 and
ending June 30, 1957

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

C. L. BOWLBY,
Superintendent.

M. J. KING,
R. E. ROBINSON,
D. F. LEONARD,
School Board.

August 1, 1957.

RECEIPTS

Local taxation: Current appropriation	\$20,717	79	
State Aid: Building Aid	400	00	
Federal Aid: Milk Fund	190	77	
Total net receipts from all sources		\$21,308	56
General Fund—Cash on hand July 1, 1956	2,237	06	
Capital Outlay Fund on hand July 1, 1956	1,661	15	3,898 21
Grand total net receipts		\$25,206	77

PAYMENTS

	Distribution of Expenditures		
	Total	High	Elem.
Administration:	Amount	School	School
Salaries of district officers	\$145 00	\$43 50	\$101 50
Superintendent's salary			
(local share)	247 00	74 10	172 90
Tax for state wide supervision	90 52	27 16	63 36
Salaries of other administrative personnel	133 15	39 95	93 20
Supplies and expenses	283 99	85 19	198 80
Instruction:			
Teachers' salaries	6,782 62		6,782 62
Books and other instructional aids	248 50		248 50
Scholars' supplies	299 34		299 34
Supplies and other expenses	108 56		108 56
Operation of School Plant:			
Salary of custodian	675 00		675 00
Fuel or heat	641 36		641 36
Water, light, supplies and expenses	465 06		465 06
Maintenance of School Plant:			
Repairs and replacements	226 90		226 90
Auxiliary Activities:			
Health supervision	33 75		33 75
Transportation	4,057 40	1,412 00	2,645 40
Tuition	4,940 00	4,940 00	
Special activities and special funds	34 28		34 28
School lunch (milk)	190 97		190 97
Fixed Charges:			
Retirement	468 87		468 87
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses	20 00		20 00
Total net current expenses	\$20,092 27	\$6,621 90	\$13,470 37
Capital Outlay:			
Lands and new buildings	318 80		318 80
Additions and improvements to buildings	1,154 02		1,154 02
New equipment	335 30		335 30

Debt. and Interest:			
Principal of debt	2,000	00	
Interest on debt	495	00	
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Total net payments for all purposes	\$24,395	39	\$6,621 90 \$15,278 49
Cash on Hand at end of year,			
June 30, 1957			
General fund	554	25	
Capital outlay fund	257	13	
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Grand total net payments	\$25,206	77	

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1956 to June 30, 1957

Cash on hand July 1, 1956 (treasurer's bank balance)		\$3,898 21
Received from selectmen—current appropriation	\$20,717 79	
Received from state funds	400 00	
Received from federal funds	190 77	
Received from all other sources	106 83	
Total receipts (gross)	\$21,415 39	
Less refunds and double payments (received from all other sources)	106 83	
Total net receipts		21,308 56
Total amount available for fiscal year (balance and receipts)		25,206 77
Less: School Board orders paid	\$24,502 22	
Less: Refunds and double payments deducted from gross payments	106 83	
Net payments		24,395 39
Balance on hand June 30, 1957 (treasurer's bank balance)		\$811 38

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

7/20/56	Reimbursement of transp. to High School	\$30 00
11/14/56	State of N. H.—Milk Fund	18 90
12/15/56	“ “ “ “ “	25 77
12/15/56	Refund of overpayment (Science Kit)	37 75

1/15/57	State of N. H.—Milk Fund	24 00
2/18/57	“ “ “ —Building Aid	400 00
2/18/57	“ “ “ —Milk Fund	18 39
3/20/57	“ “ “ “ “	20 40
4/12/57	“ “ “ “ “	19 20
5/15/57	“ “ “ “ “	23 58
5/15/57	“ “ “ —Refund on state supervision	25 48
6/28/57	“ “ “ —Milk Fund	23 19
6/28/57	“ “ “ “ ”	17 34
6/28/57	Reimbursement of advance for saving stamps	10 00
6/28/57	Reimbursement of bus fare to Children's Theater	3 60
10/ 1/56	Selectmen appropriation	2,500 00
10/10/56	“ “	2,000 00
11/26/56	“ “	3,000 00
1/ 1/57	“ “	3,000 00
2/11/57	“ “	2,000 00
3/22/57	“ “	3,000 00
5/29/57	“ “	5,217 79
		<hr/> \$21,415 39

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that I have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Nelson School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1957. In my opinion the reports included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the School District on June 30, 1957, together with the results of operation for the fiscal year ended on that date.

SIDNEY F. PARTRIDGE,

Auditor.

July 15, 1957.

STATEMENT OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

MUNSONVILLE SCHOOL ADDITION

Dates of Original Notes	June 30, 1955	October 1, 1955
Amounts of Original Notes	\$19,000 00	\$4,000 00
Rate of Interest	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ %	
Principal Payable Date	October 1st	
Interest Payable Date	October 1st and April 1st	
Payable at	Ashuelot Citizens Nat. Bank Keene, New Hampshire.	

Fiscal Year Ending	Principal	Interest
June 30, 1958	\$2,000 00	\$450 00
June 30, 1959	2,000 00	405 00
June 30, 1960	2,000 00	360 00
June 30, 1961	2,000 00	315 00
June 30, 1962	2,000 00	270 00
June 30, 1963	2,000 00	225 00
June 30, 1964	2,000 00	180 00
June 30, 1965	2,000 00	135 00
June 30, 1966	2,000 00	90 00
June 30, 1967	2,000 00	45 00
June 30, 1968	1,000 00	11 25
Total	\$21,000 00	\$2,486 25

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash on hand June 30, 1957 (including building fund)	\$811 38
Net debt (excess of liabilities over assets)	20,959 62
Grand total	\$21,771 00

LIABILITIES

Amount reserved for special purposes	\$257 13
Internal revenue bureau	440 00
Other current accounts	73 87
Notes and bonds outstanding	21,000 00
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Total liabilities	\$21,771 00

**CAPITAL OUTLAY SUMMARY FOR ADDITION
TO MUNSONVILLE SCHOOL**

Covering Net Receipts and Payments for Period July 1, 1956
to June 30, 1957

Cash on hand July 1, 1956		\$1,661 15
Payment on general contract	\$1,154 02	
Architect's fees and expenses	250 00	1,404 02
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Cash on hand June 30, 1957		\$257 13

REPORT OF SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

In last year's report by the school supt. two major items were mentioned. One, the need to develop adequate play areas on the property purchased by the district; and secondly, the importance of retaining capable teachers experienced in multiple grade work, through a reasonable salary increase.

The district approved a small sum of money for extension of the playground and this needs much additional work before the playground is adequate and a safe place away from the highway.

The district voted against a small salary increase for the three experienced staff members and this resulted in the resignation of all of them. It was found impossible to replace the music teacher and it is likely that specialized music education will no longer be available at Munsonville school. Two young women were found for the regular teaching assignments but neither of them had any experience in multiple-grade teaching. Both teachers have found it difficult to adjust to the many demands of the small rural school though both are capable teachers. Usually several years of work in the small school is necessary before maximum results can be expected. At this point it is doubtful whether either of the present teachers will be interested in returning another year and it may be some years before the Munsonville school again has a stabilized staff. I believe this situation illustrates very well the poor economy in terms of pupil education, in losing experienced teachers.

The new Marlboro Junior-Senior High School is now in operation and offers an excellent opportunity for the pupils of Nelson to obtain a sound education as well as every opportunity to participate in band, chorus, boys and girls basketball, baseball etc. Marlboro board policy will tend to keep the Marlboro high school tuition rate one hundred dollars below that charged in neighboring high schools, thus offering some inducement to Nelson to consider Marlboro schools. Since both

districts are in the same supervisory union, and have the same school supt., Nelson will have a measure of control over their pupils education in high school, which they now lack.

DR. CHARLES L. BOWLBY,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF ANNUAL SALARY OF SUPERINTENDENT

Supervisory Union No. 38
School Year 1956-1957

District	Districts share of Supts. Salary	Districts share travel allow.	District Total
Troy	\$1,027 00	\$299 00	\$1,326 00
Marlboro	985 00	287 00	1,272 00
Chesterfield	979 00	287 00	1,266 00
Fitzwilliam	792 00	231 00	1,023 00
Harrisville	494 00	145 00	639 00
Nelson	247 00	72 00	319 00
Sullivan	173 00	49 00	222 00
Roxbury	103 00	30 00	133 00
Total	\$4,800 00	\$1,400 00	\$6,200 00
Salary and travel paid by districts			\$6,200 00
Share of salary paid by state			2,500 00
Total superintendent's salary and travel allowance			\$8,700 00

DISTRICT CENSUS REPORT

1957-58

	Total	Boys	Girls	Public School In District	Public School Outside District	Private School Outside District	Over 14, Completed Elem. But Not H. S. Completed High School
Under 1 year	0						
1 year	0						
2 years	4	2	2				
3 "	4	3	1				
4 "	6	2	4				
5 "	3	1	2	1		1	
6 "	3	2	1	3			
7 "	8	5	3	7	1		
8 "	6	2	4	5		1	
9 "	3	2	1	3			
10 "	6	5	1	6			
11 "	3	1	2	3			
12 "	3	0	3	1	2		
13 "	3	2	1	3			
14 "	4	4	0		3	1	
15 "	5	3	2		5		
16 "	3	0	3		2		1
17 "	0						
18 "	0						
Totals	64	34	30	32	13	3	1

